

REELFOOT LAKE STATE PARK

2004

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

TOLL FREE #: 1-800-250-8617



Welcome

to Reelfoot Lake! We are delighted to share our good nature with you, our valued guests. May your visit be delightful and you will plan to visit again soon!

AIRPARK INN: We are pleased to announce that Reelfoot Lake State Park's Airpark Inn will reopen in the early part of 2004, hopefully by January 2nd. Special Rates. Please call our 1-800-250-8617 for reservations.

JANUARY - MARCH



EAGLE TOURS: American Bald Eagle and Waterfowl Tours begin January 2nd and continue through around March 7th. Buses will leave at 10:00 AM daily, also at 8:00 AM and 1:00 PM on Saturday. Our Sunday tours will be 10:00 AM and 1:00 PM. The tours leave from Reelfoot Lake State Park Airpark Inn. Tours will last approximately 2 hours. There is a moderate charge for this tour and reservations should be made in advance. Call 1-800-250-8617 or 731-253-7756.



GUEST SPEAKERS: Guest Speaker Programs are presented each Saturday night at 7:00 PM in Reelfoot Room Located in the Airpark Inn Complex. Our Park Naturalist Staff will provide an intro program on Friday night at 7:00 PM. Call for program of scheduled guest speakers.

MARCH



DEEP SWAMP CANOE TRIP: A wetland trip through unique areas of Reelfoot Lake's Cypress Swamp. Reservations required. Call 731-253-9652. Other trips may be scheduled for groups. Every weekend, March and April, 8:00 AM and 1:00 PM. Moderate charge.



Reelfoot Lake State Park Campground opens March 12th.

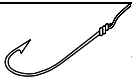


Early Bass Fishing Good! Crappie Fishing Good in Deep Water!



APRIL

Peak migration of neotropical songbirds.



Bluegill (Bream) Fishing is Excellent Around Trees!



Crappie Fishing is Superb in April!



MAY

PONTOON BOAT CRUISES: Guided Scenic Boat Cruises to observe birds and natural beauty of Reelfoot Lake. Each tour departs from the Visitor Center at 9:00 AM and lasts approximately 3 hours. Trips at 1:30 PM and 2:45 PM on weekends. Weekend afternoon trips last about 1 1/2 hours. For reservations and information call 731-253-9652.



Bluegill (Bream) Fishing is Excellent May Through Mid-June!



JUNE, JULY, AUGUST



SUMMER NATURALIST PROGRAM: During the months of June through August, a variety of programs will be offered by Reelfoot Lake State Park’s Interpretive/Recreational Staff. Call 731-253-9652 for schedule.

***SPECIAL CRUISES - May be scheduled for groups. Call Visitor Center (731) 253-9652 reservations and preset schedules.**



***MOONLIGHT BOAT CRUISE:** Take a cruise under a full moon on Reelfoot Lake to observe it’s natural beauty after dark. Reservations required.



SUNSET BOAT CRUISE: This cruise is an opportunity to experience the serenity of beautiful Reelfoot Lake. Reservations required.

***COOKOUT CRUISE:** Cruise includes a cookout (hot dogs, chips, soft drinks) on Caney Island. Our tours fill quickly, therefore, reservations are recommended. Reservations for groups are required. Please call 731-253-9652 for schedule and reservations.



FIRE WORKS OVER REELFOOT LAKE - JULY 3rd!!



Waterflowers in full bloom. Topwater bass fishing good. Yellow bass fishing Excellent!

OCTOBER

ANNUAL ARTS & CRAFTS FESTIVAL: October 1ST, 2ND, 3RD^H. Over 400 exhibitors from several states and thousands of shoppers descend upon the lake for the three day annual fall event.



Enjoy the Beautiful Fall Colors Around Reelfoot Lake in Early October! Crappie Fishing is Good!



FALL COLOR BOAT CRUISES: Weekends Only! Enjoy the beautiful fall colors and observe a variety of migratory birds on special pontoon boat cruises. Call 731-253-9652 for schedule and required reservations!



NOVEMBER



EAGLES AND DUCKS BEGIN ARRIVING AT THEIR WINTER HOME, REELFOOT LAKE.

DECEMBER

REELFOOT LAKE STATE PARK'S MANAGEMENT AND STAFF WISH EVERYONE A SAFE AND HAPPY HOLIDAY SEASON.
WE LOOK FORWARD TO SERVING YOU IN 2005



Seasons Greetings

